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BOGOTA, SAN JOSE FOR BREW: US TEXTILE DELEGATION

E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: ETRD, CS

SUBJECT: TEXTILES

CINCPAC FOR MICHAEL B SMITH CHIEF TEXTILE NEGOTIATORS

1. MS. DELLALI OF COSTA RICAN BOARD OF TRADE IN NEW YORK,
CALLED GAREL, DOC OFFICE OF TEXTILES, REGARDING A REPORT
SHE HAD RECEIVED FROM AN UNNAMED WARNOCO OFFICIAL (WHO
REPORTEDLY GOT IT FROM A KAYSER ROTH OFFICIAL) THAT US
WAS PREPARED "TO MAKE AN EXAMPLE" OF COSTA RICA AND
"LOWER THE BOOM" WITH UNILATERAL ACTION TO RESTRICT IMPORTS
OF BRAS. SHE ADDED THAT COSTA RICA WOULD RECEIVE THE
US DELEGATION POLITELY AND WOULD TELL THE US THAT COSTA
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RICA IS NOT PERMITTING ANY ADDITIONAL BRA FIRMS TO START NEW PRODUCTION, BUT THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD GOCR ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT TO LIMIT ITS BRA EXPORTS TO THE US

2. GAREL POINTED OUT THAT ONLY DECISION MADE THUS FAR BY USG IS TO DISCUSS PROBLEM WITH GOCR WITH A VIEW TO

ARRIVING AT SOME MUTUALLY SATISFACTORY SOLUTION. WHILE OPTION TO TAKE UNILATERAL ACTION IS NOT FORECLOSED, NO RPT NO DECISION HAS BEEN TAKEN IN THIS REGARD.

3. ABOVE IS TRANSMITTED FYI, AND MAY BE USED IN TEAM. VANCE

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